### DISTRICT MEN AT MEADE GET

Amount Recently Held Out by Error Added to Regular Sum.

By ANDREW R. KELLEY. Camp Meade, Admiral, Md., Nov. .-To the majority of the soldiers, the most interesting event connected with today's activities was the regular monthly visit to Capt. Eugene Foster, camp paymaster, who started the distribution of \$1,-500,000 among the uniformed population of the cantonment.

The majority of the District men will draw their first full month's pay from Uncle Sam, in addition an amount that was inadvertently left out of their envelopes in their first pay installment que to an er-

Work with the pick and shovel in the digging and building of trenches will begin in earnest for the District boys next week. All have become sufficiently hardened to be able to stand this work and are eager to get it completed and begin actual expe-rience in the trenches.

Ambitious soldiers in the ranks are hard at work in the non-coms school and spend the greater part of their spare time in study to fit themselves for the examinations which will fol-low their registration for appointment as noncommissioned officers. Some criticism has been directed at

the rigid mentality tests, insanity Alexandria County. tests and all others having anything to do with other than the physical condition of the men as "all nonsense" and carried on for the purpose

of furnishing employment to a certain class of medical specialists.

These examinations are proceeding under the direction of Surgeon General Gorgas. Defending their effectiveness, one of the high medical officers in the army said: "It is undoubtedly true that of the 200 or 300 doctors engaged in this work not one has entered the in this work not one has entered the service except at great financial sacrifice. He could have made twice to three times the money he has received from the government by attending to his private practice.

#### On Watch for Insanity.

"The diseases which have been sought out include mental defects, epilepsy, physicopathic personality and abnormal conditions of the central nevous system.
"According to dependable statistic

three out of every thousand go Insane at home during times of peace; six to seven out of 1,000 during war service at home, and an undetermined, though far greater, number when serving in

here are many people who will inevitably break down under the strein, anxiety and horror of modern warfare. By keeping such men out of the army its strength is far greater; ferrer men will fall ill and much suf-

fering will be saved.
"By such precautionary methods
the army is now developing men of
the highest professional efficiency and training, who, after the war is over. will go back to their civil employ-ments far more competent generally than when they left."

### FAIL TO FIND CLUE IN BANK ROBBERY

Mystery Still Shrouds \$9,250 Loss from Franklin.

Mystery shrouds the probable daring theft of \$3,250 Friday morning from the cage of the assistant cashier of the Franklin National Bank. Pennsylvania avenue and Tenth street northwest.

Inspector Grant, chief of detectives, and the four Central office men who have been assigned to the case, Detectives Kelly, O'Dea, Cornwell and Hughlett, last night said that no clue had been obtained of the supposed thief.

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by an outsider using a cane or a stick. The finding of a receipt slip inside the cage, which had been lying loose on the roll of bills confirmed this

It was kerned last night that a runner of the bank had a ned the package of money from the Treasury early the same morning that it was found missing from the inside of the

#### Found, One Article Without a War Tax

A negro man had just been handed his marriage license at the court house yesterday morning. He passed \$1.25 over to Clerk Coffin, acting in place of Col. Kroll.

"Why the extra quarter?" asked

"Why dat is for de war tax, mister; didn't you know dat?
"There is no war tax that I know of on marriage licenses," replied Mr. Coffin. "Therefore the license is still the same old price, \$1."
"Dere mus' be some mistake, mister," answered the man, "cause how could dey miss such an impotent papah. Ah spected ter see a stamp on mah license, but now Ah kin tek dat quarter en pay moh on mah graphophone."

### **ALEXANDRIA SCHOOLS** TO GET \$11,941.75

This Sum Is City's Share of State Appropriation.

THE HERALD BUREAU, R. E. Knight & Son, 621-623 King Street.

Alexandria, Va., Nov. 3 .- Public

Alexandria, Va., Nov. 3.—Public schools in this city will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual strength and the men are all uniformed the date of the first divisional review will be announced. It is expected that a big delegation from the District, including the Commissioners and the exemption boards will pay Camp Meade in a body and witness what the intensive training has accomplished for the men.

Night Maneuvers Planned.

Within a short time a series of night manoeuvers, in line with the program of progressive field training, will be started, with detachments of 400 men each sent hiking across country under "scaled orders." It is the element of mystery with an element of mystery its steeled and the countries of the countries of the countries of this city will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual apportionment of State public schools in this city will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual apportionment of State public school in this city will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual apportionment of State public school from the 10-cent tax, according to an announcement made by the State Board of on the school population of the city, which is given as 4,333. Alexandria County will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual apportionment of State public schools in this city will receive a total of \$11,941.75 from the annual apportionment of State public school funds derived from the 10-cent tax, according to an announcement made by the State Board of on the school population of the city, which is given as 4,333. Alexandria County will receive \$13,115.80 based on a school population of 4,795. The total schools by the State is \$1,816,000.05, which is approximately 4 per cent less than given last year. Of this amount the cities will get \$330,055.80 and the counties \$11,759 and for the counties \$11,759 and for

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was tendered a reception, after which they left for Asheville, N. C. Upon their return they will reside in this city.

The regular Saturday half holiday found 30 per cent of the Twelfth Machine Gun Battalion released on 12-hour leave for visits to relatives in Washington. Another big delegation will leave tomorrow.

Ambitious soldiers in the ranks are hard at work in the non-coms school and spend the greater part of their care time in study to fit themselves.

Louis E. Patterson, 23 years old, son of Mrs. Annie Patterson and the late Edward J. Patterson, died this morning at the home of his mother, 412 South Pitt street, after a long illness. The deceased was formerly employed as a machinist at the Washington Navy Yard. His funeral will take place at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Louis E. Patterson, 23 years old, son

Miss Jeannette Parrish is erecting a nandsome residence on the Belmont tract, opposite the Del Ray station,

#### Hoover to Speak Before Columbia Heights Body

Herbert C. Hoover, National Food Administrator for the United States government, will speak at the regu-lar meeting of the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association to be held in the

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#### It's Here! First Case Under Sheppard Law

The first case under the Sheppard law, where real honest-to-goodness ilquor has been sold, will come up in Police Court tomorrow when Harry A. White will be arraigned for seli-ing, it is alleged by the police, three quarts of whisky at \$3 a quart to

Detective Howes and Sergeant Bean arrested White Friday afternoon. There will be two charges against him, if the police carry out their innim, if the posses carry out their in-tentions—one charge of selling liquor, in direct violation of the Sheppard law, and the other of selling liquor to soldiers in uniform. He is held under \$1,500 bond under the two

#### KERENSKY INTERVIEW TO BE ELUCIDATED

Gen. Alexieff Will Explain at Allied Conference in Paris.

There will be some Russian participation in the coming conference of the allies in Paris and Russia will abide by the decisions of that

duct of the war. His recent utterances, it is admitted, however, have made him so distasteful to the Rus-sian radicals that his attendance at the conference will be impossible.

#### Washington Promised Warmer Weather

# **FOOD SHIPMENT**

Roald Amundsen Gets First License from U. S. Exports Board.

"Permission is hereby granted to Roald Amundsen, of New York, to export two hundred and ninety-two cases five per cent more or less of foodstuffs from the United States to Roald Amundsen at North Pole."

This is the first license granted by This is the first license granted by the Experts Administrative Board. Capt. Amunden's license carries sev-eral interesting features, in that these

eral interesting reatures, in that these are the first things ever consigned to the North Pole as a fixed destination. Capt. Amundsen, who discovered the South Pole and was first navigator ever to pass through the Northwest Passage, has arranged the drift voyage across the Polar Sea tentatively beginning next summer.

conference. But the Russian Em-bassy here admitted itself somewhat at sea yesterday over the personnel of Russia's delegates.

It is generally believed that Gen. the unexplored region from the west. Alexieff will represent Russian mili-tary authority and will tell the con-ferees just what Premier Kerensky meant by his interview calling upon carry a small crew, motor sledges,

The monthly musical service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Eleventh and H strets northwest, was unavoidably postponed from last Sunday to this evening at 8 o'clock. The regular quartet, Mrs. Gottsman, soprano; Mrs. Stretch and Stretch and Stretch and Stretch and Holling at 8 o'clock. The regular quartet, Mrs. Gottsman, soprano; Mrs. S. Andrews, milliager at Soc. 1005-7 Penna Avenue. Brylawske, alto; Roy Gilder, tenor, and M. C. White, bass, will render the following program: While the Eart's Remaineth," Maun-

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It had been expected that Foreign Minister Terestchenke would attend the conference and shed considerable light on the state of Russia's internal affairs as affecting the conduct of the war. He recent attention of the war at this time.

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hardware, 613 7th st.; Eiseman Bros., 506 7th st.
and 173 Pa. ave.; Percy S. Foster, everything
musical, 1200 G st.; Priediander Bros., clothlers
and labordashers, 428 9th st.; Gamas Co., millinery, 716 7th st. nw.; Goldsmith & Co., jewelfy,
120 F st.; 1, Hass & Co., tailors, 121 Pa. ave.;
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importers, 120 F st.; 1ring Hat Company,
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